

## Senate Resolution 1123

By: Senators Cagle of the 49th and Kemp of the 46th

## A RESOLUTION

1 Commemorating the 90th anniversary of the founding of the Town of Braselton; and for  
2 other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, this year, the Town of Braselton is celebrating 90 years of rich heritage and  
4 wonderful quality of life; and

5 WHEREAS, incorporated on August 21, 1916, this charming town traces its origins to  
6 America's Progressive Era, with the opening of a mercantile store, cotton gin, roller mill,  
7 blacksmith shop, and saw mill; and

8 WHEREAS, the three sons of the town's founder, John O. Braselton, opened the Braselton  
9 Brothers Store, which included a bank, grocery, dry goods, and a feed and seed outlet and  
10 served as the social and cultural epicenter of the young town; and

11 WHEREAS, today, Braselton is a thriving town of 3,000 residents that boasts a variety of  
12 flourishing businesses, including a world-class hotel, spa and golf center, antique mall,  
13 specialty boutiques, and myriad small businesses; and

14 WHEREAS, the Town of Braselton has received numerous honors for its outstanding  
15 residential and business environments; and

16 WHEREAS, always living up to the town motto of "a past to preserve and a future to mold,"  
17 Braselton is moving forward to serve its citizens by building a new library and a police and  
18 municipal court center; and

19 WHEREAS, throughout its history, the Town of Braselton has had a unique personality all  
20 of its own, and Georgia has been very blessed to have this vibrant community in its midst for  
21 90 years.

1 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body  
2 join in commemorating the 90th anniversary of the founding of the Town of Braselton and  
3 express their very best wishes for many more years of prosperity for this beloved Georgia  
4 community.

5 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
6 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Honorable Pat Graham, Mayor of the  
7 Town of Braselton.